

inventors must be furnished in the application. In compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.497(a),

Applicants enclose a Declaration which has been executed by the inventors.

Applicants also enclose five (5) Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent forms, each of which has been executed by an inventor.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$65 Surcharge under 37 C.F.R. § 1.497(c) for a small entity, and any additional required fee with this paper to Deposit Account No. 23-1703.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a four (4)-month extension of time to extend the period for response from January 12, 2001 up to and including May 12, 2001. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$695.00 petition fee for a small entity and any additional fees required with this petition or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1703.

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Respectfully submitted,

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